

**REMARKS**

Claims 1, 4 through 9, 11 through 15, 18 through 21 remain in this application. Claims 2, 3, 10, 16, and 17 have been canceled.

**Claim Rejections under 35 U.S.C. §103**

The Office Action indicated that claims 3, 10 and 17 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Claims 1, 9 and 15 have been amended above accordingly.

**CONCLUSION**

For the above reasons, the foregoing amendment places the Application in condition for allowance. Therefore, it is respectfully requested that the rejection of the claims be withdrawn and full allowance granted. Should the Examiner have any further comments or suggestions, please contact Jessica Smith at (972) 240-5324.

Respectfully submitted,  
GARLICK HARRISON & MARKISON

Dated: June 2, 2008

/Jessica Smith/  
  
Jessica W. Smith  
Reg. No. 39,884

Garlick Harrison & Markison  
P. O. Box 160727  
Austin, TX 78716-0727  
Phone: (972) 240-5324  
Fax: (469) 366-6731